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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ANALYZING A CAPITAL STRUCTURE FOR A COMPANY	: :

AMENDMENT IN CONNECTION WITH CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:

This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request For Continued Examination in connection with the above-identified patent application. Of note, a Final Office Action was issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 10, 2007. The August 10, 2007 Final Office Action provided a period of 3 months in which to file a response, i.e., by November 10, 2007. A Petition for a two-month extension of time is being filed herewith. Accordingly, a reply is now due by January 10, 2008 and the Request For Continued Examination mentioned above (as well as this Amendment) is being timely filed.